

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Serial Number (Optional)  
015662-000900US

In re Application of Micheline Markey, John W. Shell, Bret Berner

Application Number 09/432,881

Filed November 2, 1999

For PHARMACOLOGICAL INDUCEMENT OF THE FED MODE  
FOR ENHANCED DRUG ADMINISTRATION TO THE  
STOMACHGroup Art Unit  
1617Examiner  
Nguyen, H.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a  
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☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

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